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Subject: Manipulation of market by two Large commercials

This letter is in regard to the manipulation of the Silver Market by two large commercials who have held almost 99% of the short contracts at a time. Their aim to take profits at their demand. It can be correlated with that of a player in a Poker game who has unlimited money and can continue to raise the pot until those with less drop out.

Position limits need to be set on the short contract size of no more than 1500. Both for these large banks who have used tax payer money in the past to gamble and profit must be fined and responsible parties incarcerated. These limits need to also pertain to Hedge funds. The alternative will be devastation to the Comex and precious metals commodity market. Thank you for all your efforts.

Sincerely Fred